13. Central Institute of Buddhist Studies, Leh
14. Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies, Sarnath, Varanasi
15. Victoria Memorial Hall, Calcutta
16. Indian Museum, Calcutta
17. Asiatic Society, Calcutta
18. Salar Jung Museum, Hyderabad
19. Khuda Bakshi Oriental Public Library, Patna
20. Rampur Raza Library, Rampur
21. Thanjavur Maharaja Serfoji's Sarswati Mahal Library, Thanjavur
22. Kalakshetra Foundation, Chenni
23. National Museum Institute of History of Art Conservation and Museology, New Delhi
24. Nav Nalanda Mahavihara, Nalanda, Bihar
25. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Calcutta
26. Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi

Maintenance and Repairs of Forts and Havelies

490. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMAD KHAN (DURRU): Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the Forts and Havelies which have been acquired by Archaeology Department of Government of India;

(b) what is the policy for the maintenance and repairs of these Forts and Havelies;

(c) whether it is a fact that Government are considering to permit the State Government for maintenance and repairs of these Forts and Havelies; and

(d) if so, whether it is also a fact that the permission has not been accorded by Government for the repairs of the Sawai Madhopur Fort despite repeated requests by the Rajasthan State Government.

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE (SHRI ANANTH KUMAR): (a) As per available records, no forts and havelies have been acquired by the Archaeological Survey of India.

(b) Under the provisions of Ancient Monuments, Archaeological Sites & Remains Act, 1958 and Rules 1959, the Archaeological Survey of India maintains and repairs only such monuments which are under central protection.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) No monument called the Sawai Madhopur Fort is under central protection. Therefore the question of Archaeological Survey of India according permission for its repairs by the Government of Rajasthan does not arise.